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		Application Number 09/456,371	Filed 12/8/99
		For Composite Elements Comprising (i) Thermoplastic Polyurethane and (ii) Microcellular Polyurethane Elastomers	
		Art Unit 1771	Examiner V. Chang.
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